## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

JONATHAN SMITH, : Civil No. 1:24-CV-01608

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Petitioner,

:

V.

THE PENNSYLVANIA BOARD OF

PAROLE, et al.,

Judge Jennifer P. Wilson

Respondents.

## <u>ORDER</u>

**AND NOW**, on this 16th day of January, 2025, for the reasons set forth in the court's November 29, 2024 order, Doc. 4, the accompanying memorandum, and in accordance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 58(a), **IT IS ORDERED THAT:** 

- 1. Petitioner's 28 U.S.C. § 2254 petition, Doc. 1, is **DISMISSED** without prejudice.
- 2. The court **DECLINES** to issue a certificate of appealability.
- 3. This case remains **CLOSED**.<sup>1</sup>

<u>s/Jennifer P. Wilson</u>JENNIFER P. WILSONUnited States District JudgeMiddle District of Pennsylvania

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For appeal purposes, judgment is entered in this action as of the date of this order. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 58(c)